

SHOTTERMILL JUNIOR SCHOOL

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MUFTI DAYS

Children are invited to come to school on the following dates in MUFTI in exchange for donations for the Summer Fair which is being held on **Friday 21st June**:

Friday 7th June
Friday 21st June

Please see the attached flyer from the PTFA for donation suggestions. Thank you.

SWIMMING LESSONS

A reminder that swimming has now started for the summer term. **Please can children have their swimming kit in school every day as we are not able to phone home for forgotten swimming kits.** Thank you.

GOLDEN BOOT CHALLENGE

This year we are again taking part in The Golden Boot Challenge from **Monday 3rd June to Friday 7th June**. It promotes healthy and sustainable travel and is run in a way that makes it possible for everyone to take part. Each class gets a point for each pupil who walked, scooted, cycled, or travelled by public transport to school. We don't forget pupils who have no alternative to the car and each pupil who uses car share also scores a point. This is the perfect opportunity to encourage pupils, parents and staff to choose a healthier, sustainable and more enjoyable means of travel to and from school. Please help your child's class win the trophy by participating in this initiative.

SCHOOL CAPS

School caps are now available to buy from the School Office for £5. It is the expectation that all children wear Shottermill caps as part of the school uniform. If you would like to purchase a cap for your child, please can parents have the exact payment as we are unable to issue change. Thank you.

SPORTING SUCCESS

On **Monday 20th May** a group of children from Year 4, 5 and 6 (right) went to a swimming gala at Highfield and Brookham School in Liphook. There were five different teams including Camelsdale, Liss, Sheet, Greatham and Shottermill. The children had to swim backstroke, front crawl, butterfly and breaststroke and Shottermill won the competition! Well done children on your success!



PARENT FORUM

The next Parent Forum meeting for Class Parent Representatives will be held on **Tuesday 18th June at 1.30pm**.

All items for the agenda need to be emailed to parentsforum@shottermill-jun.surrey.sch.uk by **Tuesday 11th June**. Topics for discussion may include issues relating to the long-term strategic direction or the smooth day-to-day running of the school. They could be issues which affect the whole school or a particular year group. Issues which solely affect individual children are not discussed as they are more suited to a one-to-one discussion with the Class Teacher and should not be raised at the forum.

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FIRE DRILLS

Please can we request that if a fire drill takes place or the fire alarm goes off when a parent is on the school premises, whether in class or at the School Office, that you immediately vacate the building. It is imperative that the Office and Teaching Staff are able to concentrate on getting the children out of the building without interruption or delay. Thank you for your co-operation.

SCHOOL CAR PARK

Please can we remind all parents that unless prior permission has been granted from Mrs Barnes or Mrs Crabb, parents must not park in the school car park or drive in to the car park to drop off or pick up children. All children should walk along the footpath to the school gate. If you need to come in to school via the main doors, please use the pedestrian gate and walk across the zebra crossing in the car park. Thank you.

HASLEMERE TWINNING ASSOCIATION COMPETITION

Haslemere Twinning Association are holding their own Bastille Day Summer Social on **Saturday 13th June** from **12pm – 4pm** and they are holding a poster competition with four attractive prizes which will be awarded on the day. Entrants for the competition should be Year 6 children of a Haslemere School. Please see the attached two flyers for more information.

WOOLMER HILL COFFEE MORNING

Woolmer Hill would like to invite Year 5 parents to one of their coffee mornings that they are holding on the **17th, 18th and 19th June** from **9:15am – 10:35am**. Please see the attached flyer for more information.

FOREST SCHOOL ADVENTURE CLUB

Forest School Adventure Club is now running on both **Tuesday** and **Wednesday** afternoons after school from **3:10pm – 5:30pm**. For more information and on how to book please see the attached flyer.

PARENTING PUZZLE COURSE

Please see the attached poster advertising the Sumer Term Parenting Puzzle course that is starting after half term.

MESSAGE FROM THE PTFA

Please see below the Easy Fundraising link to see how much the PTFA has raised so far this academic year. The site is also really useful to turn online shopping at every day retailers such as Amazon, John Lewis and M&S into free donations for good causes including the PTFA!

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/shottermilljuniorptfa/?q=Shottermi&cat=cause-autosuggest>

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KEY DATES FOR THE SUMMER TERM 2019

May	
Monday 27th – Friday 31st	HALF TERM
June	
Monday 3rd – Friday 7th	Golden Boot Challenge
Friday 7th	MUFTI Day – in exchange for donations for the Summer Fair
Monday 10th – Friday 14th	Y5 residential to Brenscombe Outdoor Learning Centre
Monday 10th – Friday 14th	No teacher-led clubs running due to the Y5 residential to Brenscombe
Monday 17th	Year 5 Taster Day at Woolmer Hill
Tuesday 18th	Parents' Forum Meeting: 1:30pm – 3pm
Friday 21st	MUFTI DAY – in exchange for donations for the Summer Fair
Friday 21st	PTFA Summer Fair: 5pm – 7:30pm
Monday 24th	Y2 Induction Evening for Parents: 7pm – 9pm
Tuesday 25th	Sports Day
Tuesday 25th	No teacher-led clubs running due to Sports Day
Thursday 27th	Y6 Business Enterprise Event: 2pm – 4:15pm
July	
Tuesday 2nd	School Performance (time TBC)
Tuesday 2nd	No teacher-led clubs running due to the School Performance
Wednesday 3rd	Y6 Transition Day to Woolmer Hill
Thursday 4th	Confederation Sports
Thursday 4th	School Performance (time TBC)
Monday 8th – Wednesday 10th	Y4 residential to Sayers Croft
Monday 8th – Wednesday 10th	No teacher-led clubs running due to the Y4 residential to Sayers Croft
Wednesday 10th	District Sports
Thursday 11th	Y6 Leavers' Disco (time TBC)
Wednesday 17th	Exhibition Afternoon: 3:10pm – 5:30pm
Thursday 18th	Y5 Taster Day at Bohunt
Friday 19th	Y6 visit to Brighton
Friday 19th	Teacher-led clubs finish
Tuesday 23rd	Leavers' Assembly: 1:45pm
Wednesday 24th	END OF TERM: 1:30PM FINISH

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